

**CALIFORNIA STATE LANDS COMMISSION**

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**NOTICE OF EXEMPTION**

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File Ref: Lease 7315; A2306  
Item: 13

**Title:** General Lease – Recreational Use – Lease 7315

**Location:** Sovereign land in Lake Tahoe, adjacent to 8227 Meeks Bay Avenue, near Meeks Bay, El Dorado County.

**Description:** Authorize issuance of a General Lease – Recreational Use beginning August 1, 2020, for a term of 10 years, for the continued use and maintenance of existing pier, boat lift, and two mooring buoys.

**Name of Approving Public Agency:** California State Lands Commission

**Name of Proponent (Person or Agency):** M. Richard Smith and Rebecca W. Smith, as Trustees of the Smith 2002 Family Trust, Amended and Restated May 2, 2007

**Exempt Status:**

Categorical Exemption:

CLASS 1, EXISTING FACILITIES (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 2, § 2905, subd. (a)(2))

**Reasons for exemption:**

Issuance of a 10-year General Lease – Recreational Use for the above-mentioned structure(s) will not cause a physical change in the environment and will not change existing activities in the area. There is no reasonable possibility that the activity will have a significant effect on the environment due to unusual circumstances. Therefore, the project will not have a significant effect on the environment and the above categorical exemption(s) apply(ies).

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